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CORN CHAMPION OUT FOR NEW RECORD

Ira Marshall Tells How He Grows Corn

Not content with having shattered all world's records in corn production by growing 1601 bushels on a 10-acre tract, Ira. C. Marshall, prominent Hardin County, Ohio, farmer and hailed the champion corn grower of all times, is attempting this season to break his own record.

"Attaining the unusual yield was not luck but the result of many years of hard work, experimenting and study", declared Mrs. Marshall who too is sharing the honors with her husband.

In 1922 Mr. Marshall began to adopt himself to conditions with the idea of growing more corn on his land if possible. Previous to that time he had farmed onions. At that time he was using a 3 foot 6 planter but is at present employing a 3 foot 2 planter, although still carrying the same amount of plants to the hill. The hill drop planter is the type that was employed in setting the new world's record last year. Four or five grains were planted to the hill

and practically every hill had from four to five stalks at maturity.

This corn was cultivated four times and the land had been for seven years alfalfa sod before it was turned over to corn. Mr. Marshall found that plowing to a depth of 9 inches proved more advantageous than the shallower plowing that had been pursued in the past. The land was cultivated deep the first time and shallow each succeeding time by the two row cultivator.

In making his new try this year Marshall announces that he plowed from ten to ten and one-half inches deep.

Two hundred pounds of 20 per cent acid phosphate was applied to the land together with the application of manure and the discing of same. Efficiency brought to corn raising by Mr. Marshall is evidenced by the fact that it took 30 acres of corn to fill his silo the first year where only 10 or 11 are required now.

WEEDS COSTING

PENNSYLVANIA

IMMENSE SUM

Weeds cost Pennsylvanians about \$32,000,000 annually. Dr. E. M. Gress, state botanist is authority for this statement basing his estimate on a loss of \$2 on each of the approximately 16,000,000 acres of tillable land in the state.

Dr. Gress said that much of this loss could be overcome if farmers would plant good, clean seed and to that end he is planning an educational campaign which is to be carried into the rural sections. His activities are to be directed specifically toward the elimination of Canada Thistle, horse nettle, quack grass and garlic, which he classes as the most noxious of all weeds growing in Pennsylvania.

Citing as an example the manner in which weeds are spread he said that a sample of clover seed received from a farmer for analysis disclosed a weed content of 39 per cent. Under a state law seedsmen are allowed a margin of three per cent foreign matter in seed, but the botanist declared, it is not unusual for commercial seed to run 99 per cent pure.

"Some farmers apparently hesitate to pay \$20 to \$25 a bushel for clover seed believing that it is cheaper to buy from their neighbors," Dr. Gress said. "It is cheaper if the cheaper seed tests practically free from weeds but costly if it does not, for the weeds will reduce the crop yield sufficiently to overcome the difference in the original cost of clover, timothy or alfalfa seed."

The Story of the Successful Suitor

Once upon a time there were two young men who fell madly in love with the same girl, each striving desperately to outwit the other in winning her hand.

One offered her a little cottage in the country entwined with roses and honeysuckle, while the other promised her a brand new furnished apartment in a great city.

For years the courtship lasted. Then, suddenly, she selected the one of her choice. He was an aged bank president and a director of seventeen trust companies and had never heard of either of the two young men.

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Genuine "PINE TREE" Timothy Seed



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Orders reading for 10 bushels or less of PINE TREE Brand Clovers or Timothy will be filled in even weight, branded and sealed Bushel Bags On larger orders, please specify "bushel bags" or regular "grain bags."

We give no warranty, express or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of any seeds we send out and we will not be in any way responsible for crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms, he must notify us at once and we will give disposition.
THE ALBERT DICKINSON CO.

TIMOTHY

	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
Archer	\$2.48	5.50
Bison	2.59	5.75
Colonial	2.70	6.00
Square Deal	2.81	6.25
PINE TREE	2.93	6.50

TIMOTHY & ALSIKE MIXED

Containing about 15% Alsike Ask for
Containing about 20% Alsike Prices

CLOVERS

WHITE SWEET CLOVER

	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
Ace	\$5.85	\$9.75
PINE TREE	6.15	10.25

GRUNDY COUNTY

PINE TREE	6.60	11.00
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YELLOW SWEET CLOVER

PINE TREE	6.90	11.50
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Our Sweet Clover is scarified to quicken and improve germination.

WHITE CLOVER

Prime	16.50	27.50
Strictly Prime	19.50	32.50
Choice	22.50	37.50

CRIMSON CLOVER

LESPEDEZA	22.50	
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CLOVERS

RED CLOVER

MEDIUM NATIVE GROWN

	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
Queen	\$19.80	\$33.00
Ace	20.70	34.50
PINE TREE	21.60	36.00

MAMMOTH NATIVE GROWN

\$1.00 per 100 lbs. above Native Medium

MEDIUM IMPORTED

Queen	ASK
Ace	FOR
PINE TREE	PRICES

ALSIKE CLOVER

Queen	ASK
Ace	FOR
PINE TREE	PRICES

GRIMM ALFALFA

	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
PINE TREE Idaho Grown, Intermountain	21.00	35.00
PINE TREE Montana Crown	21.60	36.00
Above two Growers' Affidavit		
PINE TREE Idaho Grown	22.20	37.00
ACE Idaho Grown	21.00	35.00
Field Inspected, Certified and Sealed by State Authorities		
BLACKFOOT	23.40	39.00

ALFALFA

COMMON ALFALFA

KANSAS GROWN

	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
Ace	\$10.20	\$17.00
PINE TREE	11.10	18.50

HARDY NORTHWESTERN

Ace	11.10	18.50
PINE TREE	12.00	20.00

IDAHO GROWN

Ace	11.70	19.50
PINE TREE	12.60	21.00

MONTANA CERTIFIED

PINE TREE	14.40	24.00
Certified and Sealed under State Supervision		

COSSACK ALFALFA

PINE TREE	24.00	40.00
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Special Prices--"Pine Tree" Seeds in Bushel Bags SEALED—EVEN NET WEIGHTS WHEN PACKED—BAGS FREE

	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.		Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
TIMOTHY	\$ 3.20	\$7.10	KANSAS ALFALFA	\$11.40	\$19.00
MEDIUM RED CLOVER, Native	21.90	36.50	NORTHWESTERN ALFALFA	12.30	20.50
MEDIUM RED CLOVER, Imported			IDAHO ALFALFA	12.90	21.00
MAMMOTH CLOVER	22.50	37.50	MONTANA ALFALFA	14.70	24.50
ALSIKE CLOVER			GRIMM ALFALFA, Idaho	22.50	37.50
WHITE SWEET CLOVER	5.45	10.75	GRIMM ALFALFA, Intermountain	21.30	35.50
GRUNDY COUNTY CLOVER	6.90	11.50			
YELLOW SWEET CLOVER	7.20	12.00			
COSSACK ALFALFA	24.30	40.50			

BE SURE TO SPECIFY "IN BUSHEL BAGS" ON YOUR ORDER

We do not handle Italian Clover or Italian Alfalfa

GRASS SEEDS—LAWN GRASS

RED TOP

(Carload prices on application)

SOLID OR FANCY SEED	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
Fair by sample		
Good by sample		
Ace (No. 1 Fancy)	\$3.64	26 00
PINE TREE (Extra)	3.78	27 00
Globe (Superfine)	4.06	29 00

KENTUCKY BLUE

(14 lbs. per bu.)

FANCY SEED	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
Standard 19 lb.	2.77	19.75
Standard 21 lb.	2.94	21.00
Ace (Refined)	2.94	21 00
PINE TREE (Refined)	3.22	23.00
Globe (Superfine)	3.50	25.00
CANADA BLUE-PINETREE	4.20	30.00

ORCHARD GRASS

(14 lbs. per bu.)

	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
Ace (Choice)	1.82	13 00
PINE TREE (Selected)	1.96	14.00
Globe (Extra Heavy)	2.10	15.00

RYE GRASSES

(24 lbs. per bu.)

	Per Bu.	Per 100 lbs.
Pacey's	\$	
Perennial PINE TREE		
Italian PINE TREE	2.04	8.50
United States Grown	1.80	7.50

IMPORTED AND FANCY GRASSES

FOR GOLF COURSES AND OTHER PURPOSES

	Per 100 lbs.
New Zealand Chewings Fescue..	\$ 28.00
Red or Creeping Fescue	
South German mixed Bent	90.00
Colonial Bent	
Sheep's Fescue	
Hard Fescue	
Crested Dogtail	50.00
Tall Meadow Oat	
Bermuda Grass	40.00
Wood Meadow Grass	
Rough Stalked Meadow (Poa Trivialis)	45.00
Annual Sweet Vernal	
Yarrow	Ask for Price
Meadow Fescue	20.00

SUNFLOWER

PINE TREE, Domestic	Per 100 lbs.
Globe, Large weevil free	5.00 5.25
	7.00 7.25

DWARF ESSEX RAPE

PINE TREE Imp. Holland Grown	6.75
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MILLET

Per 100 lbs.

Common	
German	
Tenn. German	
Siberian	
Japanese	
Hungarian	

LAWN GRASS MIXTURES

Per 100 lbs.

GLOBE BRAND, Extra heavy superfine.	
In cartons and 5 lb. bags	\$33.50
In bulk	32.00
DICKINSON CLUB GREEN. Our special blend of selected imported and native grasses.	
In cartons and 5 lb. bags	25.50
In bulk	24.00
ACE BRAND. A blend of quick growing native grasses. (Contains White Clover.)	
In bulk	15.50
EVERGREEN. Good standard quality satisfactory for general purposes. (Contains White Clover.)	
In cartons and 5 lb. bags	23.50
In bulk	22.00
SHADY SPOT. Adapted to shaded places and moist soils.	
In cartons and 5 lb. bags	33.50
In bulk	32.00

PACKING

Globe, Dickinson Home Green, Evergreen and Shady Spot are put up in:

- 1 lb. Litho cartons, 50 to a case.
- 5 lb. Cotton bags, 10 to a bale.
- 5 lb. Cotton bags, 20 to a bale.
- 100 pound burlap bags.

Ace Brand, in 50 and 100 lb. bags only.

SEED GRAIN—SUNDRY SEEDS—BAGS

SEED GRAIN

Per Bu.

Rosen Winter Rye	\$1.25
Spring Rye	
Chevalier 2-Row Barley	
Ordinary 2-Row Barley	
Oderbrucker 6-Row Barley95
Marquis type Spring Wheat	
Heavy Domestic White Oats	
Swedish Type Oats	

SEED CORN

Contract stocks grown in Nebraska, thoroughly milled—high germination.

Per Bu.

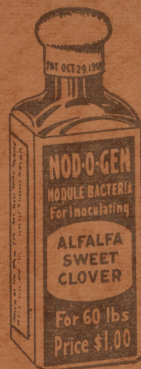
EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES	
Pride of the North Yellow Dent ..	
King of the Earliest Yellow Dent.	
Wis. No. 12 (Golden Glow)	
Wis. No. 7 (Silver King)	
Minnesota 13	
Northwestern Dent	
White Cap Yellow Dent	
MEDIUM EARLY VARIETIES	
Iowa Gold Mine	
Reid's Yellow Dent	
Improved Leaming	
Silver Mine	
FLINT CORN	
Sanford White	
Longfellow Yellow	
Early Canada	
FODDER CORN	
Leaming Fodder	
Pride Fodder	
Southern White Fodder	
Red Cob Fodder	

SOY BEANS

Per 100 lbs.

Stocks Nearly Exhausted	
PINE TREE, Black Eye Brow ...	
PINE TREE, Wisconsin Black	

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1 bushel size \$1.00

1/2 bushel size .60

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Per 100 lbs.

WHITE FIELD, Prime	\$4.85
WHITE FIELD, Globe Brand	5.00
MARROWFAT CHOICE	
SCOTCH, Globe Quality	4.30

FLAX

BULK	
Whole Druggist's	\$5.75
Ground Flax	6.25
BALES OF 20-5 LB. PACKAGES	
Whole Druggists	\$7.25
Ground Flax	7.75

HAIRY OR WINTER VETCH
PINE TREE \$16.50

CANE

Amber Sorghum for Syrup

SUDAN GRASS

Per 100 lbs.

PINE TREE, Southern	
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COTTON GRAIN BAGS

Banner Mill	37.00
Anchor A	36.00
Royal River	
Patched Second Hand	
Soiled Second Hand	

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4. Easier to handle and safer to ship on account of lighter and more convenient size package.
5. The farmer prefers it because he gets his seed in the original branded and sealed package.
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